IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF ALABAMA NORTHERN DIVISION

FARMERS TELECOMMUNICATIONS	
COOPERATIVE, INC.,)
Plaintiff,)))
v.) CIVIL ACTION NO. 2:06cv790-WC
)
VERIZON BUSINESS NETWORK)
SERVICES INC., et al.,)
)
Defendants.)

ORDER

Upon of review of Defendant/Cross-claim Defendant Qwest Communications
Corporation's Motion to Amend its Answer to the Amended Cross-Claim (Doc. #53), filed
October 2, 2007, it is

ORDERED the motion be submitted without oral argument on October 17, 2007.

It is further

ORDERED that Verizon Business Network Services, Inc. and Farmers

Telecommunications Cooperative, Inc. file a response on or before October 17, 2007.

DONE this 3rd day of October, 2007.

/s/ Wallace Capel, Jr.
WALLACE CAPEL, JR.
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE